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SUBJECT: FLUORCARBON REPORT TO OECD

REF: A) STATE 246425, B) STATE 217573

1. IN RESPONSE TO REFTEL A: MFA REP STUYCK-TAILLANDIER INFORMED SCIATT ON 20 OCT THAT AFTER POLLING FRENCH AGENCIES FOR POSSIBLE INTEREST IN SUBJECT, FOR INFO REQUESTED IN REFTEL B, HE FOUND A MARKED LACK OF ENTHUSIASM AND CONCLUDED THAT VERY LITTLE INFO WOULD BE AVAILABLE FROM FRANCE.

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2. COMMENT: BESIDES THE POSSIBLE ECONOMIC REPERCUSSIONS THAT MAY PARTIALLY ACCOUNT FOR SUCH LACK OF INTEREST, THERE IS ALSO THE FACT (AS WAS RELATED TO SCIATT LAST WEEK BY THE DEPUTY COORDINATOR FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH AT THE DGRST, FRANCE'S CENTRALIZED RESEARCH COORDINATING AGENCY) THAT FRANCE HAS VIRTUALLY NO CAPABILITY IN PHARMATOXICOLOGY. EVEN IN AREAS OF CLEAR ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN SUCH AS LEAD AND CARBON MONOXIDE ATMOSPHERIC POLLUTION, FRENCH MONITORING AND ANALYSIS CAPABILITIES ARE QUITE MODEST. HOWEVER, AS FURTHER EVIDENCE OF THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE PROBLEMS IS DEVELOPED, PUBLIC INTEREST MAY BECOME SIGNIFICANT. U.S.-FRENCH COOPERATIVE EFFORTS IN RATHER SIMPLE, BASIC, AND SPECIFIC PROJECTS RELATED TO THE OVERALL PROBLEM COULD WELL HAVE A STIMULATING EFFECT ON THE LEVEL OF GOF INTEREST AND COMMITMENT.

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